

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :
vs. : **CRIMINAL NO.: 22-CR-0041-KD-B**
MICHAEL ANTONIO RUSSELL :

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
CONCERNING PLEA OF GUILTY

The Defendant, Michael Antonio Russell, by consent, appeared before the undersigned pursuant to Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, and entered a plea of guilty to **Counts 1 and 5 of the Indictment on June 30, 2022.**

After cautioning and examining the Defendant under oath concerning each of the subjects mentioned in Rule 11, the Court determined that the guilty plea was knowledgeable and voluntary, and the offense(s) charged is supported by an independent basis in fact as to each of the essential elements of the offenses. The Court therefore recommends that the plea of guilty be accepted and that Defendant be adjudged guilty and have sentence imposed accordingly.

DONE and ORDERED this **5th** day of **July, 2022.**

/s/ SONJA F. BIVINS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

NOTICE TO PARTIES

A party has fourteen days from this date to file written objections to the Report and Recommendation's factual findings and legal conclusions. A party's failure to file written objections waives that party's right to challenge on appeal any unobjected-to factual finding or legal conclusion the district judge adopts from the Report and Recommendation. See 11th Cir. R. 3-1.